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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

The Applicant files this paper in response to the final Office Action dated October 7, 2010. The shortened statutory period for filing a response expired on January 7, 2011. To file a response in a timely manner, the Applicant submits a payment for a two-month extension of time to extend the expiration of the period for filing a response to March 7, 2011.

The Applicant also files a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) with this paper. Since this paper amends the claims and meets the reply requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.111, the Applicant believes that this paper also meets the requirements of a submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. The Applicant also submits a payment for filing the RCE.

The undersigned hereby authorizes the Commissioner to charge any additional fee found to be due in connection with this response to Deposit Account No. 505278, and to credit any overpayment to the same account. For the Examiner's convenience:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this document; and
Remarks begin on page 18 of this document.